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ALL THE LATEST NEWS

HERE'S A HOW D'YE DO.

A Genuine Sensation at the Market Investigation.

The Assistant Commissioner of Accounts Suspended.

Forty-five Dollars Paid for Getting Market Stands.

Admits Receiving the Money.

Prime sport was expected at to-day's session of the Commissioners of Accounts in the investigation into the allotment of stands in the new West Washington Mardet.

The material to furnish it was present when Commissioner Holahan announced that court was open.

There was Mayor Orestes Cleveland, of Jersey City, who was a potential factor in securing stands for his brother-in-law Wm. H. Hosg: Bookkeeper Davidson, to explain mysterious entry of "barrels, on the books of his employer, Richard D. Brown: "blondheaded" Tom Campbell, Fatty Walsh's rival

as a market restaurateur, and ex-Assembly. man Daniel E. Finn, who has been wanted so long to tell about his securing a stand in the new market, but who had successfully evaded the subposna-servers of Mr. Nicoll and the Commissioners until Saturday. Mayor Cleveland was the first witness ex-

mined. He told how he secured five stands from his brother-in-law's firm.

He had known Supt. Kelso forty-three years, and visited him at his office to ask him f the rumor that stands would not be allotted to non-residents was true.

Mr. Kelso said that it was, but remarked that as two of the partners resided in the State that fact might make some difference. Afterwards the witness made the application in the name of W. H. Hoag & Cc.

He could not explain why the permits were ssued in the name of Van Doren & Co. and

Mayor Cleveland said that he had come before the Commission voluntarily to relieve the memory of his old friend. Supt. Kelso. from any imputation of wrong-doing in so as the granting of permits for

har as the granting of permits for stands to his brother-in-law was concerned. Thomas P. Farrell, of 27 West Thirty-seventh street, was the next witness called by Commissioner Holahan, and the testi-mony begun was a bomb-shell for the Com-

Sioners,
The witness is a member of the Tammany
Hall Association of the Fifteenth Assembly He said that he had heard through M. J.

Smith, a saloon-keeper at Thirty-seventh street and Eighth avenue, that it cost John Curley, a stand-holder in the new market, \$50 to secure his permit. To whom did he pay it?" was the next question.
"To a man connected with your office at

present."
"What man?"

"Col. Theodore Hamilton, Assistant Commissioner of Accounts."
The witness said that he had told this story to Mayor Grant, who said that he must go before the Commissioners of Accounts and tell it, as he (the Mayor) was bound to sift this matter to the bottom and see if there had been any crookedness in the allotment of stands.

John Curies, the standsholder mentioned

John Curley, the stand holder mentioned by the preceding witness was next sworn.

He testified that he applied for a stand, and through his son tried to interest Gen. F. B. Spinola in his behalf. He thinks that the

General got the stand for him, for Gen. Spinola had told him so.

Col. Theodore A. Hamilton, he said, had offered his services in assisting the witness to secure the stand and he had accepted Mr. Hamilton's he'p.

The Colonel claimed that he got the stand permit, but the witness believed that Gen.

permit, but the witness believed that Gen. Spinola's influence was more potent in secur-ing it, so, "just to make things easy," he gave Col. Hamilton \$45 to pay him for running arrand

Before I got my stand," the witness went on. "Col. Hamilton asked me for money,
"I told him I wouldn't bay five cents to any
man in the city government, but if he wanted
the money for himself I would give it to

the money for himself I would give it to him. I gave him \$25 then.

"Afterwards I gave him \$10 when he asked me for it, and about Christmas time I gave him \$10 more,"

Mr. Curley said that he had bought two hoves of civars for \$20 and presented them to

boxes of cigars for \$20 and presented there to Supt. Kelso, and had given \$14 to Chief Clerk Graham McAdam. Col. Hamilton was next summoned to ex-

Col. Hamilton was next summoned to explain his connection with the matter.
He said that he knows Mr. Curley. Last June Mr. Curley asked him if he could get a corner stand for him. He said:
"I visited Mr. Kelso's office over a dozen times about the matter. I never paid a cent to any city official. Mr. Curley gave me the money voluntarily for my services.
"Mr. Curley gave \$25 in September last. Afterwards, at two different times, his son gave me \$10.

I never gave Supt. Kelso or anybody.

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I never gave Supt. Kelso or anybody else in the Finance Department any present for any specific purposes. I gave Supt. Kelso a box of Perfecto cigars. I did not give them for Mr. Curley. I never gave Mr. McAdam \$14. That's absurd. I was only making myself solid with these men. You couldn't bribe Mr. Kelso or Mr. McAdam for \$35. It's absurd. (Laughter.)

"I paid for Mr. Curley's permit out of

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NOW THEY ARE OFF. OUT OF WINDOWS. ANOTHER

Tony Pastor Starts the Female Cyclists on Their Race.

Mme. Louise Armaindo Makes al Quick First Mile.

The Colors of the Rainbow in the Riding Costumes of the Girls.

Excrything was in readiness this morning at Madison Square Garden for the afternoon's beginning of the six-day bicycle contect for

Only one or two of the young women who are entered for the contest were on hand in | fire being discovered at about 4 o'clock. the morning. The others were taking all the rest they could preparatory to the grand struggle.

The finishing touches put the track in firstclass condition, and experts say that, judging from the appearance of the contestants, there ought to be some exciting sport. The riders are all professionals, and several of them have good records.

The riding dresses will be heavy woollen leggings of various colors and design, with tight-fitting jackets and knit skull-caps, and these costumes will display to advantage the shapely figures of the fair contestants.

The riding hours are limited to eight a day, the schedule being from 3 to 6 in the afternoon and from 8 p. m. to 1 a. m. at night. There are no trainers' quarters in the Garden, as all the contestants have their rooms in the neighboring hotels. F. J. Prial, editor of The Wheel, will be referee.

Here is a list of the contestants, with the numbers which have been assigned to them:

No. 1—Hilda Snallor is a Swedish beauty reighing 130 pounds and standing 5 feet weighing 130 pounds and standing 5 feet 4 inches tall.

No. 2—Jessie Woods has competed in Brooklyn and is an experienced rider. She weighs 121

and is an experienced rider. She weighs 1.21 pounds.

No. 3.—Kitty Brown is a 126-pound, eighteenyear-old, 5-foot 5-inch beauty, who will be seen
for a few days at least.

No. 4.—Jessie Oaks, the English champion,
and because of her confident, graceful style
placed by many as the winner.

No. 5.—Elsie Von Blumen is the well-known
rider with a record running back over years.
She has been a walker and has many friends.
She is the champion of America is her line and
will give the girl, Oaks, a hard fight.

No. 6.—Lulu Hart, twenty-two years old, 133
pounds weight and 5 feet 6½ luches tail, comes
from the interior and has pluck and grit, but no
record.

room the interior and has place and gris, but no record.

No. 7—Maggie McShane, who is the Aggie Harvey of previous trials, but who now dons the green and comes out as an Irish girl to capture the hearts of the Irish lovers of cycling. She somes from Dublin and has won several walking and cycling races. She is accredited with being the prettiest rider of the lot.

No. 8—Lottle Stanley comes from Pittsburg and is a fine sourier.

and is a fine spurter.
No. 9—Helen Baldwin has an abundance of

No. 9—Helen Baldwin has an abundance of muscle.

No. 10—Hattie Lewis is twenty-one years old, feet 7 inches tail and weighs 135 pounds.

No. 11—Louise Fox is from New Jersey, and is but seventeen years of age, weighing but 110 pounds.

No. 12—Gertrude Franko is a dark-skinned Polish lady and, it is whispered about, has a right to some sort of title of nobility. She is a late-comer in the list of entries and was entered with several others by a well-known sporting man from the interior of the State.

No. 13—Mme. Louise Armaindo is the well-known stayer of the wheel. She has ridden in overy part of the world and has won the title of champion over and over again. Her partner in team riding, W. J. Morgan, is backing, and will look after her. She is a matter-of-fact body and rides for money every time. She has the ominous No. 13 on her back, but houses to earry it to victory. The fight lies, in the opinion of many, between Armaindo, Von Blumen and

rides for money every time. She has the ominous No. 13 on her back, but hopes to carry it to victory. The fight hies, in the opinion of many, between Armaindo, Von Blumen and Oaks.

No. 14—May Allen is a new comer without special record.

No. 15—An unknown entered by Harden, of Lincoln, Neb. Up to yesterday all that had been heard from her was telegrams from various places as the train came east.

Tony Pastor, resolendent in full dress and a crush hat, gave the word to start the girls in the race at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Fourteen of the fair cyclers started their wheels at the word, the Nebraska Unknown failing to reach the city in time to begin.

The race was made interesting from the start by the eagerness of Mme. Armaindo and Lottie Stanley to take and maintain the lead. It was a fine struggle, and caused much excitement among the six or seven hundred spectators in the big pavilion.

Armaindo displayed the steadiest nerve, however, and was at the head of the procession at the end of the first mile, which she completed in 3m. 50s. smid the applause of the onlookers and a lively air from a brass band located in one of the balconies.

All the maidens fair, save Elsa Von Blumen, were revealed in all their physical excellence in tights of various shades and tints, Miss Von Blumen, persisting in a costume of many years' standing, wears a skirt of dark red, reaching to her knees, and stockings of black.

Mme. Armaindo's substantial form was

ings of black.

Mme. Armaindo's substantial form was clothed in tights of ceruloan blue.

Jessie Oaks, natty little English girl, was a dream in white, while Maggie McShane, her Irish rival, appeared in a jersey and tights of bright red, knotted here and there with rib-

bright red, gnotted here and there with rib-bons of verdant green.

The enthusiasm of those who saw the start was unbounded, and almost everybody selected one of the riders as his embodiment of grace and prettiness.

THE STANDARD LOSES \$150,000.

Just Two Years Elapsed Between Its Two Big Oil Fires.

SEPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I BEBGEN POINT, N. J., Feb. 11.-At daylight this morning, the great fire in the Standard Oil Company's works at Constable Hook was still burning, but was under control. The loss is now estimated at about

\$150,000, and is uninsured.

It is now believed that the fire was caused by the electric light dynamo getting out of

order.

Two paraffin stills were partially destroyed and several thousand new barrels stored in the building helped to add fuel to the flame.

By a singular coincidence this fire occurs just two years since another great fire in the Standard's works.

Will Await the United States Commission. PRI CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION. | BERLIN, Feb. 11.—The opening of the confer once between Germany, England and the United States will be delayed until the arrival of a special Commissioner from Washington.

Knocked Out in the Fifth Round.

INFECIAL TO THE EVERING WORLD. I MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 11,—Danny Needham, the champion light-weight of the Northwest, knocked out Pat Harrington, of Boston, in the fifth round. The fight was a fifteen-round giove contest for \$500 a side.

Inmates of a Burning Hotel Escape in Nightclothes.

Flames Eat Up the Wave Crest at Far Rockaway.

A Suspicion that an Incendiary Started Murder at Dundee in the Terthe Fire.

FAR ROCKAWAY, Feb. 11 .- The Wave Crest Hotel was turned early this morning, the The hotel was one of the largest in the

place and was owned by ex-Assemblyman Edward Darragh. The loss was \$10,000, which is said to be fully covered by insur-The fire made rapid progress, as a high

wind was blowing. Soon after its discovery, the big building was entirely wrapped in flames, while in little less than half an hour it lay in rnins The inmates had barely time to escape in

The inmates had barely time to escape in their night-clothes. Some of them leaped from the second-story windows.

So fiercely did the fire rage when at its height that the United States Hotel and other buildings in the immediate vicinity, were seriously threatened.

The local Fire Department and the hotel watchmen fought the flames vigorously and did much towards saving the neighboring structures. Leander Petit, of Oceanic Hoss No. 1, was seriously injured while on duty.

The cause of the fire is as yet unknown.

There had been a litigation in progress over the property for some time.

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A Mrs. Cleary claimed to have a title to the property, and had brought proceedings in foreclosure.

Both claimants held insurance policies, and an interesting legal question will now come

The building stood in Coster street, near the inlet. It was a three story frame struc-

ure. Mrs. Darragh and her family lived in the hotel,

There are suspicions that the fire was of incendiary origin. Mr. Darragh has been burned out before.

Death of Admiral Chandler.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.-The Navy Departnent is informed that Rear-Admiral Chandler, commanding the Asiatic station, died at Hong Kong yesterday from an attack of apoplexy.

Inspector-Gen. Breckenridge Now. INPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. Washington, Feb. 11.—The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Col. John C. Breckenridge to be Inspector-General of the United States Army.

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New York Markets.

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Wheat,—The market opened about steady, May opened 3 points off, at P85c., and advanced to 995c. At room the quotation stood at 99c. June opened at 985c.; July, 95 11-16c. Chicago opened steady. Cables steady.

Corros.—Futures opened steady at a decline of 1 to 2 points. Feb. 9, 77; March, 9.80; April, 9.81; May, 10.01; June, 10.08; July, 10.19; Ang., 10.22; Sept., 9.80; Oct., 9.89.
Cables quiet but steady.

Covers.—Opened steady at 10 to 25 points advance. Feb., 15.80; March. April and May, 15.90; June, 10; July, 10.10; Aug., 10.20; Sept., 16.30; Oct., Nov. and Dec., 16.40. Cables firm.

Pernoleum.—Certificates opened %c. up at 88%c., declared to 88%c. and at noon was quoted at 88%c. Market dull.

A Happy Woman.

A Happy Weman.

Happy is the woman without bodily ills, but happier is the woman who, having them, knows of the saving properties of Dr. Pirkers Favourie Prescaption. When relieved, as she surjoy will be upon a trial of it, she can contrast her condition with her former one of suffering and appreciate health as none can who have not for a time been deprived of it. The Favourie Prescription corrects unnatural discharges and cures all "weakness" and irregularities. ...

Not Our Mother's Pic.

[From the Merchant Prometer.] preme Court, handed down his decision granting
It is hard to tell at this time of year whether a change of venue for ex-Alderman McQuade man has care on his mind or a piece of mince pie and fixing Saratoga County as the place for in his stomach.

Jack the Ripper Said to Be Under Arrest.

rible Whitechapel Style.

The Mutilated Victim Was This Time Found in a Box.

She Had Come from London with the Alleged Murderer and Mysteriously Disappeared.

Intense Excitement in London Over the Sensational Reports.

London, Feb. 11.-Another woman murder and mutilation has been discovered and the

probable murderer arrested. The murder is similar in its details to those committed in Whitechapel.

It is possible that the man arrested is the Whitechapel fiend, "Jack the Ripper."

The following are the circumstances so far as made known by the police : A man and a woman whose names are un-

known came to Dundee, Scotland, three weeks ago and took a small house. They said they came from London. Suspicion was directed against them from

the beginning, and they were watched by de-Recently the woman disappeared. The de-

tectives had not seen her leave the house, and no traces could be found of her departure. Yesterday the man was arrested and the

house searched, when it was discovered that a murder had been committed. A box in the basement was broken open by the police and in it was found the body of

the missing woman. The head had been cut off, the legs ampu taled and the stomach ripped open.

The awful work bore all the appearance of having been done by the same hand that perpetrated the successive horrors in London.

There is reason to believe that the man now in custody is that man. The police authorities, however, maintain great reticence.

LATER.-Great excitement prevails here and in Scotland over the supposed capture of " Jack the Ripper."

The latest news from Dundee is anxiously being awaited here, and evening dailies have issued extras, for which there is a big de-

IT WAS NOT MURDER.

Mrs. Geltner Died of Exposure and Dissipation in Hoboken.

This morning the Hoboken police were notified that a woman had been murdered in Haley's tenement-house in Newark street. The victim proved to be Annie Geltner, about forty-eight years old.

Annie has seen many ups and downs in life. Eighteen years ago she had a good home, an attentive husband and several home, an attentive husband a children; but she took to divorced from her husband, and enildren; but she took to drink, was divorced from her brabend, and since then has been going back and forth between Hoboken and the penitentiary. County Physician Amon, after investigat-ing the case will ing the case, said the woman died from expo-sure and dissipation, and not from foul play.

The Atlantic Baseball League. The Atlantic Baseball League, which was or ganized in Jersey City two weeks ago, is in session this afternoon in parlor G at the Fifth

Avenue Hotel. Avenue Hotel.

The chief matter under consideration is the admission of four clubs to complete the eight-club limit of the League.

Applications have been received from fifteen towns anxious to be represented in the new

Broke Through the Ice and Drowned. SOUTH NORWALE, COND., Feb. 11.—A party of

five men fell through the ice on Mill River, near Stamford, yesterday afternoon, and Thomas Rolly was drowned. The others were recenced, completely exhausted. Their faces were badly cut by the broken ice. It is doubtful whether Frank Jones, one of the number, will recover.

Panic and Terror on a New Haven Champion Skater Donoghue Again Train.

Dynamite Blown Up Near Williams- A Royal Welcome Given to the Young bridge.

Passengers Cut.

Cartridges.

A terrific explosion occurred about 9.15 o'clock this morning at a point midway between Williamsbridge and Bedford Park, on the line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, just as the train from Stamford, Conn., which is due in this city at 0.49 A. M., passed there.

The train, made up of five passenger coaches and a baggage car, was nearly blown off the rails.

If it had been a frightful loss of life would have ensued, as there were about five hundred men, women and children on board. As it was a miracle only prevented loss of

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Every window on both sides in the four forward coaches was blown out as clean as if cut away with a glazier's diamond.

Nearly every window was shattered in the laggage car, the engine and last car only escaping uninjured.

The majority of the possengers were cut and bruised more or less seriously by the flying glass, and the heavy joiting of the train.

It was nearly brought to a standstill by the

It was nearly brought to a standstill by the force of the concussion, and the engineer found little difficulty in helting his machine. The scene, as he looked behind from his cab window, was an exciting one.

Every one of the big cars were tossing and tumbling from side to side, like a large ship in a furious storm.

It seemed as if they would never stop either.

either.

The ground trembled. Tall trees shivered as if beaten by a gale of wind.

The air was thick with flying stones that darted hather and thither, with the speed and manner of a flock of frightened birds.

Some of these stones could not have been lifted by less than six or seven men, yet they were thrown to a great distance by the force of the explosion.

Many of the stones pattered down on the

cars like a heavy shower of hall, but fortu-mately none that fell this way were heavy enough to break through the car roofs.

The wildest exeitement prevailed in the cars. Men prayed and swore. Women lainted and children cried. One loud voice exclaimed:
"The day of judgment has come. Pray,

sinners, pray."
This added to the excitement, and for a few

This added to the excitement, and for a few seconds it seemed as if the stronger would trample the weaker in their mad efforts to get out a mewhere—anywhere.

They did not know and did not care where they wanted to go. They rushed around madly, blindly.

One man kept jumping over the seats, back and forth until his senses returned.

To add to the terror of the scene, those who were injured were cut mostly about the face, and they presented a terrible spectacle as they ran about with the blood besinearing their cheeks and dripping on their clothing.

Only for the coolness of a few passangers on the train the others would have surely inflected serious fujury on one another in their terror, trying to get out of the train.

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Poice Justice A. P. Delcambre, of Pelham-yille, was one of the level-headed ones who

rollice was one of the level-headed ones who by voice and example encouraged the frightened ones to be calm.

Mr. S. J. Smith, of Mount Vernon, was another, and Park Commissioner Stevenson Towle also worked heroically to get the wimen and children out of the cars safely. Only one passenger, as far as known at this writing, was seriously highred. His name is Taylor. He lives at New Hochelle.

A fragment of glass was driven into the right temple. He pulled it out, whereupon the blood began to gush forth.

Fortunately there was a physician on the train. Dr. Hayward, of Pelham, dressed the cut and stooped the flow of blood, otherwise the injured man would have bled to death.

Before the train came to a full stop many of the men were jumping off the cars or throwing themselves out of the train through the shattered windows.

throwing themselves out of the train through the shattered windows.

When it was stopped every one struggled out as best they could, paie, frightened, and many of them covered with blood.

They described their sensation as if suffering from a severe fit of seasickness, and it had much the same effect our more than a few of them. Some of the more venturesome ones then began to look for the cause of the explosion, but there was none apparent.

ones then began to look for the cause of the explosion, but there was none apparent. In that vicinity they are thisting rock in order to lay a double track, and some people ascribe the explosion to carelessness on the part of those doing the blasting.

Another the ry entertained by many is that it was an explosion of a huge dynamite car

tridge.

Instice Deleambre thinks so for one. He was a passenger on the train.
When interviewed by an Evenino World interviewed by an Evenino graphic description of the occurrence. He said:

"The train was bounding along at the rate of nearly fifty miles an hour. We left Mount Vernon at 9.10 a.m. We passed Williamsbridge like a flesh of lightning.

"The train is an express drawn by one of the biggest and fastest engines on the road. Between Williamsbridge and Eedford Park the scenery is very wild and picturesque.

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"I thought it heightened the effect grandly upon looking out of a window in the smoker where I was, to see a group of Italians, some standing and some sitting around a coke fire on the ground about twenty feet from the track on the river side.

"They seemed to be thawing out a dynamite cartridge at the fire, which blazed cheerfully in their midst.

fully in their midst.
"The thought flashed through my mind. That infernal thing might explode. Then where would those brigandish-looking fellows be? Just then we shot by them and the ex-

Paisoned Himself and Children.

(SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

VIENNA, Feb. 11.—A goldemith in this city has poisoned his five children with cyanide of potassium. After administering the poison to the children hetook some of it himself and died in great agony.

Saratoga County for McQuade.

Late this afternoon Judge O'Brien, of the Supreme Court, handed'down his decision granting a change of venue for ex-Alderman McQuade and fixing Baratoga County as the place for

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HORROR. EXPLOSION. OUR BOYGETS HOME

Newburger.

on America's Soil.

Joe Wears a Diamond King, the Gift of Car Windows Blown to Fragments and the Late Prince Rudolph.

The Cunarder Umbria, sighted off Fire Said to Be Caused by Italians Thawing Island this morning, bore among her passengers young Joe Denoghue, the skater, who

has recently won such bright laurels abroad.



JOE DONOGHUE.

His greatest victory was won last month in the grand skating tournament at Amsterdam, Holland, where he defeated Von Panschin, of St. Petersburg, the champion skater of Europe, in a two-mile race by seven seconds in 6m, 24s., which broke all previous records

by nineteen seconds.

Donoghue was heaten by Von Panschin in several short-distance races, but by very small margins, and his victory in the long distance put him at the top of the list.

He is only eighteen years old, and lives at Newburg, N. Y., where he has for many years been known as a very fast skater, as his father was before him. He has won no end of prizes and medals in this country, and easily downed all comers in races in which he took part.

easily downed all comers in races in which he took part.
His father, Timothy Donoghue, and his brother have been in town several days watting for the Umbria to arrive, and many friends were on hand togive the young champion a big welcome when he lands upon the dock.
When the Umbria forged alongside her dock at 2.30 this afternoon a mighty shout went up and a pleasant-faced youth in a scallined overcoat waved his hat from the forward deck.
The shouting was led by fifty members of

The snouting was led by fifty members of the Manhattan Athletic Club, who had char-tered several stages for the occasion. And they had their banners, too, bearing the Club insignia.

Joe's manager, G. L. M. Sachs, President of the National Skating Association, preceded Joe down the gang plank.

He received an ovation, but his reception paled when compared to the rousing cheers and hand-shaking bestowed on the youthful states.

athlete himself when his nimble feet touched the dock.
Indeed, he was all but mobbed by his en-

thus astic admirers.

He bore himself modestly, replying to the multitude of questions and congratulations very quictly and unaffectedly.

Joe said he had been the recipient of much flattering attention since he left these shores, Dec. 8.
Mr. Sachs and Donoghue were corralled on

the pier and compelled to tell anew of Joe's victories, which have been duly recorded by cable. I am glad to get back and sorry to arrive." was the way loe put it.
"You see, I had such a good time over there that I was almost sorry to come away, though towards the last I got a little homesick. Holland and Austria are all right, but America

beats them all.

"I had a specially enjoyable time at the
Liberal Club, in London, but I was very
much d sappointed that there was no ice in
England, as I should have been glad to skate there."
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Said Mr. Sachs. "Two days before we left
Amsterdam Joe received a remarkably handsome solitaire diamond ring from Crown
Prince Eudolph, of Austria, whose tragic
death was so startling. Joe has it on his
finger now."

Douoghne was hurried away to the stages
and driven to the Manhattan Athletic Club.
To morrow night a reception will be accorded him at Newburg with brass band accompaniment, &c., and he will be presented
with a handsome gold watch.

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The first athletic contest he will enter will be that for the American championship, which will probably come off within a foringht in the vicinity of this city, wherever the best ice can be found. Joe won this event last year.

The champlon skater brings back with him many trophies of victories won, such as cups

KNOCKED SENSELESS IN THE FIFTH. So Mike Simmons Lost a Bloody Fight to Jack Coyle.

A terrific fight occurred in a Long Island barn Sunday morning at 3 o'clock. The contestants were Jack Coyle, of the Scottish-American Athletic Club, of Jersey City, and Michael Simmons, of the Allerton Athletic

Club, of this city.
The fight was for a \$100 gold watch, presented by the eighty spectators present, and went on to a finish under Marquis of Queensberry e won after five desperate rounds.

Cools won after five desperate rounds.

The men went at each other in hammer-and-tongs style, and as the battle progressed they bled like stuck pigs.
Cools secured first blood in the first round by a tetrible right-hander on Simmons's nose.
Simmons was knocked senseless in the fifth round and could not come to time.
E. J. liyan, of the Alierton Club, a branch of the Charity Organization Society, was to-day sentenced by Judge Cowing to two the Manhattan, was referee.
Steve Murphy seconded Siminons. Coyle was seconded by his brother.

The "Dencon" White Deal. ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I

DETROIT, Feb. 11.-The Boston management has offered Fred Stearns \$500 to be let out of the "Deacon" White deal. Mr. Stearns and the Deacon had a long conference at baseball headquarters yesterday, and it is thought that White has agreed to play in Pittsburz. The "Deacon 8 will sell his property on Brady street and move to Buffaio as soon as the deal is made.

ALL THE LATEST NEWS

CRACKSMAN WINS.

The To-To-Wa Handicap at Clifton To-Day.

A Large Crowd Were There Despite the Snow-Storm.

Other Honors Were Divided Between Avery, Speedwell and Bonanza.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] NORTH HUDSON DRIVING PARK, N. J., Feb. 11. The attractive card brought a good crowd to the races here to-day,

The track was in good condition, but the

weather was threatening, with an occasional light drift of snow. Avery was the favorite and winner for the first Speedwell, another of the talent's choice, easily landed the second race. This was purely a weight-for-age race, without any pen-

alties, and a race of its kind should be put on the programme of the larger associations more often than it has been done.

The third race was a lively betting one, with Pegasus installed as the favorite. He was never in the hunt, however, and Bonanza, the second choice, won handily. He was bid up \$35 and bought in by his owner. Dan Honig.

FIRST BACE.

Purse \$250; selling allowances; six and a half

furiouga, Avery, 110 Hoothe, 115 Vendetta, 106 Time-1, 25, The other starters were Tony Pastor, Lafitte, ulbadi, Wayward, Banhope, Palatka and

The other starters with the control of the control

THIRD BACK. Purse \$250, for beaten horses; selling allow-Purse \$250, for beaten horses; selling allowances; one mile.

Bonanza, 105. (Hathaway) 1
Littlefellow II., 119. (Sharkey) 2
Belmont, 105. (J. Tribe) 3
Time-1, 45½.
Pilot, King-ford and Pegasus also ran.
The Race.—Bonanza made all the running and
won by two lengths from Littlefellow II., who
was a head in front of Belmont.
Betting.—3 to 1 against Bonanza to win; even
money for a place, and 9 to 5 against Littlefelmoney for a place, and 9 to 5 against Littlefel-

r for a place, and 6 to 5 against Littlefel-L. for a place. Mutuels paid: Straight, ; for a place, \$5.10. Littlefellow IL paid FOURTH BACK. To-To-Wa Handicap, purse \$250; one mile. Cracksman, 113. (Hueston) 1
Osceola, 115. (Mosher) 2
Alan Archer, 103. (Penny) 3
Time-1, 43%,
Van, Ernest and Easterbok were the other Vall, Ernest and Esteriors were starters.

The Race.—Cracksman led from start to finish, and won easily by two lengths in the fast time of 1,4334. Oscoola was second four lengths before Alan Archer.

Betting—6 to 5 against Cracksman to win, 5 to 3 on for a place, and 5 to 3 on Oscoola for a place. Mutuels paid: Straight, \$4,95; for a place, \$3.30. Oscoola paid \$3,05.

FIFTH BACE. Purse \$250; for maidens, three years old and ipward; five furiongs. Chine-e Gordon won, with Isis second and Wheat third. Time-1, 04.
Mutuels paid: Straight, \$3.70; for a place, \$3.
Lis paid \$4.05.

O'BRIEN REMOVED TO TRALEE.

His Escort Attacked with Stones and Other Missiles by a Crowd. DESCRIPTION OF REAL PROPERTY PROPERTY WHEN THE DUBLIN, Feb. 11. - William O'Brien was

aken from Clonmel to Tralee Jail this morning. He was under a strong guard of military and police The escert was attacked at Clonmel by at them.

At Tipperary a large crowd surrounded the

railway station and resisted the efforts made to disperse it. Mr. Parnell Will Sue the "Times. LONDON, Feb. 11.—An action for libel is to be brought by Mr. Parnell in the Irish courts against the Times.

Paruell's Application Granted. (SPECIAL CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.)
DUBLIN, Feb. 11-LATES.—The Court of Ex-

thequer has granted, on the application of Mr. Parnell, leave to assue a writ for libel against

and who was followed up and arrested by Officer
Was to-day schemed by Judge Cowing to two
years in State prison on his plea of guilty.
The Society discovered that this man had
robbed the community of nearly \$4,000, which
he had collected for the alleged purpose of aiding in the building of a Methodist Church in
Essex County, N. Y.

Urgency Voted on the Bill.

PARIS, Feb. 11.—The Chamber of Deputies today, by 283 to 274, voted urgency for the bill to adopt the scrutin d'arrondissement. Gen. Boulanger was present during the debate.